

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): K. KURODA et al  
Serial No.: (New Continuation Application Under 37 CFR §1.53(b) of  
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Group: 2824  
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**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT**  
**UNDER 37 CFR §1.97 & §1.98**

**MS: PATENT APPLICATIONS**

Commissioner For Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, applicants are attaching hereto, in a form equivalent to Form PTO-1449, a listing of all the art documents of record (cited by the Examiner/submitted by applicants) in the chain of continuing applications (as listed on page 1 of the Specification), pursuant to the duty of disclosure/candor requirements.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted concurrently with the filing of the above-identified continuation application and, therefore, this IDS meets the requirements pursuant to 37 CFR §1.97(b).

As to the requirement of 37 CFR §1.98(a)(3) for a concise explanation of relevance to the extent that any of the listed documents are not in the English language, this is met by: the discussion thereof in the file histories of the prior

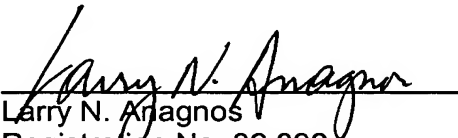
applications and in the original Specification, the Submission of English translation(s) and the citation thereof by the Examiner in the prior application(s).

It is understood that since copies of the listed documents should be available in the file wrapper of the prior application, copies thereof are not included herewith, consistent with 37 CFR §1.98(d) and pursuant to the guidelines set forth in MPEP §609.

It is submitted this IDS is in compliance with the rules of practice as well as with USPTO guidelines. Therefore, applicants respectfully request that it be entered and duly considered by the USPTO. Also, acknowledgment of entry as well as of formal consideration thereof by the Examiner is respectfully requested.

If any costs are due in accordance with the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement, please charge same to the account of Antonelli, Terry, Stout & Kraus, LLP, Account No. 01-2135 (501.30278CC6).

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